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APPENDIX

AMERICAN NAZI PARTY,
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

A source advised on November 14, 1960, that on that date a meeting was held in Chicago, Illinois, for the purpose of organizing a Chicago unit of the American Nazi Party(ANP) which maintains headquarters in Arlington, Virginia. GEORGE LINCOLN ROCKWELL, National Commander, ANP, took charge of this meeting.

On May 22, 1966, [REDACTED] ANP, Chicago, advised that the ANP in Chicago is to a degree autonomous although it remains subject to the final authority of GEORGE LINCOLN ROCKWELL and ANP National Headquarters.

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A second source advised on January 6, 1966, that the Chicago branch of the ANP is currently located at 1314 West Ohio Street, Chicago, Illinois.

A characterization of the national organization follows.

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13 UNITED KLANS OF AMERICA, INC., KNIGHTS
14 OF THE KU KLUX KLAN (UNITED KLANS)

17 Records of Superior Court of Fulton County, Georgia,
18 show that this Klan organization was granted a corporate charter
19 on February 21, 1961, at Atlanta, Georgia, under the name United
20 Klans, Knights of the Ku Klux Klan of America, Inc.

22 A source advised on February 27, 1961, that United
23 Klans was formed as a result of a split in the U. S. Klans,
24 Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, Inc. According to the source, the
25 split resulted from a leadership dispute and United Klans has
26 the same aims and objectives as the parent group. These are the
27 promotion of Americanism, white supremacy, and segregation of the
28 races.

30 The first source and a second source advised in July,
31 1961, that United Klans, Knights of the Ku Klux Klan of America,
32 Inc., merged with Alabama Knights, Knights of the Ku Klux Klan.
33 The merged organization established headquarters in Suite 401,
34 the Alston Building, Tuscaloosa, Alabama. The organization is
35 directed by Robert Shelton, Imperial Wizard, and is the dominant
36 Klan group in the South with units in several Southern cities.

38 On August 14, 1961, the second source advised that the
39 organization formerly known as United Klans Knights of the Ku
40 Klux Klan of America, Inc., would be known in the future as
41 United Klans of America, Inc., Knights of the Ku Klux Klan. The
42 second source said the name was changed by a resolution adopted
43 at the National Klavocation held July 8, 1961, at Indian Springs
44 Georgia.

46 The second source advised that at a meeting at
47 Prattville, Alabama, on October 22, 1961, a majority of the
48 Klaverns of the U.S. Klans, Knights of the Ku Klux Klan merged
49 with the United Klans of America, Inc., Knights of the Ku Klux
50 Klan.

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NATIONAL STATES RIGHTS PARTY (NSRP)

On November 26, 1957, a source advised that the United White Party (UWP) was organized at a convention held in Knoxville, Tennessee, on November 10, 1957. An article in the November 26, 1957, issue of the "Greenville Piedmont," a newspaper of Greenville, North Carolina, reported "the recent formation of a new political party, to be known as the United White Party." According to the article, the party was formed at a recently held meeting in Knoxville, Tennessee, at which many Klansmen were represented. The UWP was reported as being opposed to all "race mixing organizations and individuals."

The July, 1953, issue of "The Thunderbolt," self-described as the "official Racial Nationalist Organ of the National States Rights Party" (NSRP), reported that rank and file "States Righters" had merged with the UWP under "the banner of the National States Rights Party," with national offices at Post Office Box 261, Jeffersonville, Indiana.

In November, 1958, a source advised that the NSRP is composed of past members of Klan-type organizations and notorious anti-Semites.

Issue No. 19, dated June, 1960, of "The Thunderbolt" announced the address of the headquarters of the NEIP had been changed from Jeffersonville, Indiana, to Post Office Box 733, Birmingham, Alabama.

Issue No. 69, dated July, 1965, of "The Thunderbolt" announced the address of the new headquarters of the NSRP as Post Office Box 184, Augusta, Georgia.

On August 4, 1965, a source advised that EDWARD R. FIELDS, the Information Director of the NSRP and Editor of "The Thunderbolt," is the individual who actually controls the NSRP.

Issue No. 72, dated November, 1965, of "The Thunderbolt" reflects Dr. EDWARD R. FIELDS to be National Director of the NRP as well as Editor of "The Thunderbolt."

"The Thunderbolt" continues to publish articles attacking Negroes and persons of the Jewish faith.

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17 A source advised on February 8, 1966, that the Chicago
18 Branch of the National States Rights Party (NSRP) is located at
19 the NSRP National Bookshop at 2237 North Western Avenue, Chicago,
20 Illinois. The Chicago Branch of the NSRP was officially opened
21 on December 29, 1965, when Dr. EDWARD R. FIELDS, National Director
22 of the NSRP, spoke at a rally held at 2237 North Western Avenue,
23 Chicago.

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25 RAYMOND LEO SCHULTZ, an organizer for the Chicago
26 Branch of the NSRP, resides at 2237 North Western Avenue, Chicago.
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28 This source also advised that the National Office of
29 the NSRP is located at Augusta, Georgia, and the Chicago Branch
30 of the NSRP subscribes to the policies of the National Office of
31 the NSRP. The NSRP believes that there should not be race mixing
32 between whites and Negroes and that Negroes in the United States
33 by conducting demonstrations and causing riots are causing a break-
34 down of law and order in the United States. The NSRP also believes
35 that the Jewish people are financing many of the Negro demonstra-
36 tions, and, therefore, the Jewish people are responsible for race
37 mixing and the breakdown of law and order in the United States.
38 The NSRP believes that the Jews and the Negroes should be exposed
39 in their attempts to have integration between whites and Negroes.

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NATIONAL KNIGHTS OF THE KU KLUX KLAN, INC. (NKKK)

A source advised that on May 22, 1960, the National Grand Council of the Knights of the Ku Klux Klan met at Atlanta, Georgia, to discuss consolidation of the Klan's unity of effort and activities to establish a National Fund, and a National Secretary, and to design a new flag. The meeting was attended by representatives of the Federation of the Ku Klux Klan, Alabama; Association of Arkansas Klans, Arkansas; Florida Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, Florida; Southern Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, Florida; Association of Georgia Klans, Georgia; Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, North Carolina; Association of South Carolina Klans, South Carolina; Dixie Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, Tennessee; and Kyklos Klan, Texas.

This source advised that at a consolidation meeting at Atlanta, Georgia, September 2-5, 1960, at which the North Carolina and Texas Klans were not represented, it was resolved and passed that their name be changed to National Ku Klux Klan.

A second source advised in March, 1964, that several meetings of Klan groups were held during the period of 1960 to 1963 in an effort to unite the Klan groups under a single leadership.

The organization was granted a charter in De Kalb County, Georgia, November 1, 1963, under the name National Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, Inc., as a "patriotic, secret, social and benevolent order".

A third source advised in December, 1963, that the organization had issued a statement of its program which indicated the organization to be anti-Negro, anti-Jewish, anti-Catholic, and anti-Foreign born.

The third source advised in August, 1964, that the organization has a headquarters in Tucker, Georgia, and the day-to-day operations are under the direction of James R. Venable, Chairman.

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27 DEACONS FOR DEFENSE AND JUSTICE (DDJ), RM

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29 NATIONAL STATES RIGHTS PARTY (NSRP) RM (ORGANIZATION)

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31 FEDERAL KNIGHTS OF THE KU KLUX KLAN, ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
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35 TELECGTEL AUGUST TWENTY SIX AND TWENTY SEVEN EAST CARRIED

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37 REGISTRATIONS BY CHICAGO FREEDOM MOVEMENT (CFM) - SOUTHERN CHRISTIAN

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39 LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE (SCLC), CAGEPARK AREA, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS.

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55 OTHER FROM CHRISTY BERKOS, CITY ATTORNEY, CICERO, ILLINOIS. RM AUG 31 1966

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TO DIRECTOR

FROM CHICAGO (157-572) (157-1324)

DEACONS OF DEFENSE AND JUSTICE, INC. RM.

NEGRO YOUTH DISTURBANCE, HARVEY, ILLINOIS AUGUST FOUR-
FIVE, LAST RM.

FOLLOWING INFORMATION RECEIVED AUGUST NINE, INSTANT:

[REDACTED] ALSO ADVISED DDJ ENDEAVORING TO OPEN OFFICES IN HARVEY,
CHICAGO HEIGHTS AND EVANSTON, ILLINOIS. 157-1

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IN THEIR OPERATIONS. HE HAS NO FURTHER BACKGROUND OR NAMES AT PRESENT

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MEMBERS. DDJ IS IN FORMATIVE STATE IN CHICAGO AREA AND
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Date: 9/13/66

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 FROM : SAC, CHICAGO
 SUBJECT: DEACONS OF DEFENSE AND JUSTICE, INC.

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 (WFO File 157-801)
 (CG File 157-840)

Re Chicago airtel to Bureau dated 7/19/66, and
 WFO airtel to Bureau dated 8/22/66.

██████████, Passport Office, U. S. Department of State, 219 South Dearborn Street, Chicago, Illinois, advised SA █████ on 9/12/66, that passport number █████ was issued and picked up at Chicago, Illinois, on 7/13/66, by one ERNEST THOMAS. No address was listed in THOMAS. █████

██████████ said THOMAS' passport file had been forwarded to the Department of State, Washington, D. C.

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background data regarding EARNEST THOMAS. *b7c*

2. Will also provide copies of passport photograph
to New Orleans and Chicago.

3. WFO is requested to report passport and background
data in letterhead memorandum form suitable for dissemination
with extra copies to Chicago for military and Secret Service.

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TO: Director, FBI (157-2466) DATE: 9/20/66
Attention: 157-4946

FROM: Legat, Paris (157-9) (RUC)

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To: SACs New Orleans (157-3290)
New York (157-1542)

From: Director, FBI (157-2466)

DEACONS OF DEFENSE AND JUSTICE, INC. (DDJ)
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ReNYtel 9/26/66 and N0tel 9/26/66.

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dated 8/29/66, captioned "REVOLUTIONARY ACTION MOVEMENT; IS-RAM",
NY teletype to Director dated 9/26/66 and NO teletype to Director,
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13 NEW ORLEANS VIA WASHINGTON

14 FROM NEW YORK

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16 RACIAL MATTERS, (OO- NEW ORLEANS)

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TO DIRECTOR AND NEW YORK

FROM NEW ORLEANS 157-3290

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ERNEST THOMAS WAS OBSERVED IN JONESBORO, LA., NINE TWENTYFIVE

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28 West Side Organization, a militant civil rights
29 organization active primarily on Chicago's
30 West Side
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32 This source also stated that at this meeting it was
33 recommended that this group initiate the publication of a local
34 neighborhood newspaper to give wider circulation to its views and
35 the furtherance of the theme of Black Power. It is the under-
36 standing of this source that this group of people, representative
37 of these various organizations, and chiefly under the impetus
38 provided by Landry and Sharp, are attempting to form a nucleus
39 of support for the general Black Power Movement in Chicago,
40 with a leadership group which will be utilizing the name
41 Coordinating Council for Black Power.
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43 Characterizations of the DDJ, W. E. B. Du Bois Clubs
44 of America (DCA), and DCC will be found in the appendix section
45 attached to this memorandum. The sources utilized in these
46 characterizations have furnished reliable information in the past.
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55 Office of the United States Attorney, Chicago, to Secret Service,
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DEACONS OF DEFENSE AND JUSTICE, INC.,
aka Deacons for Defense and Justice,
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The Articles of Incorporation of the Deacons of Defense and Justice (DDJ) as on file with the Secretary of State, for the State of Louisiana, reflects that the Deacons of Defense and Justice, Inc., is a Louisiana corporation domiciled at Jonesboro, Louisiana. The location and business office address of its registered office shall be Amos Service Station (rear), Beach Spring Road, Drawer B. Jonesboro, Louisiana.

"This corporation is organized for the following purposes and to carry on the following purposes:

"To instruct, train, teach and educate Citizens of the United States and especially minority groups in the fundamental principles of the republican form of government and our democratic way of life; to instruct, teach, train and educate said persons in the provisions of the constitution and laws of the United States and the State of Louisiana, as well as the constitution and laws of any other state wherein this corporation may operate; to instruct, teach, train and educate said persons in the use, value, and purpose of the ballot and the right to vote; to instruct, teach, train and educate said persons as to the duties and responsibilities of good citizenship relative to the obligation and duties of the community to the citizen; to further instruct, teach, train and educate said persons in the value of economic security and in the effective use of their spending power; to inspire in said persons a sense of responsibility and to develop leadership. This corporation has for its further purpose, and is dedicated to, the defense of the civil rights, property rights and personal rights of said people and will defend said rights by any and all honorable and legal means to the end that justice may be obtained. This corporation may establish chapters and conduct its business at any place in this State and elsewhere as permitted by law."

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APPENDIX

W.E.B. DU BOIS CLUBS OF AMERICA (DCA)

A second source has advised that the founding convention for the new youth organization was held from June 19-21, 1964, at 150 Golden Gate Avenue, San Francisco, California, at which time the name W.E.B. DuBois Clubs of America (DCA) was adopted. Approximately 500 delegates from throughout the United States attended this convention. The aims of this organization, as set forth in the preamble to the constitution, are: "it is our belief that this nation can best solve its problems in an atmosphere of peaceful coexistence, complete disarmament and true freedom for all peoples of the world, and that these solutions will be reached mainly through the united efforts of all democratic elements in our country, composed essentially of the working people allied in the unity of Negroes and other minorities with whites. We further fully recognize that the greatest threat to American democracy comes from the racist and right wing forces in coalition with the most reactionary sections of the economic power structure, using the tool of anti-Communism to divide and destroy the unified struggle of the working people."

Over the Labor Day weekend, 1965, the DCA held a conference in Chicago, Illinois, and a new slate of officers was elected to the National Executive Committee (NEC) of the DCA. Since Labor Day, 1965, identities of those serving on the NEC has varied; however, according to a third source as of May, 1966, thirteen of the fifteen members of the NEC were members of the CP in the San Francisco Bay area.

As of July, 1966, the headquarters of the DCA was located at 180 North Wacker Drive, Chicago, Illinois.

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W.E.B. DU BOIS CLUBS
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On May 3, 1965, a source advised that on June 30, 1964, a group of young people who attended the founding convention of the W.E.B. DuBois Clubs of America (DCA), met in Chicago and adopted a statement of purpose and constitution forming the DCC as an affiliate of the national DCA.

This source further advised that at a meeting of the Chicago Area of the Midwest Region of the DCA held April 3, 1965, the boundary of the Chicago Area was established to include all of Illinois north of Springfield, Illinois, and all of Indiana. At this meeting, TED PEARSON was elected Area Coordinator.

A second source advised on May 9, 1966, that as of May, 1966, TED PEARSON, Chairman of the Youth Club of the Communist Party (CP) of Illinois, continued to be the Chicago Area Coordinator of the DCA, and the official headquarters is located at the PEARSON apartment, 1808 North Cleveland Avenue, Chicago, Illinois.

The second source advised that there are currently two clubs operating in the Chicago Area, one on the west side and the other on the near north side. The west side club operates a club house known as the West Side Freedom Center at 2908 West Madison Street which is open seven days a week to the teen-agers on the west side.

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Attention: Deputy Director, Plans

From: John Edgar Hoover, Director

Subject: [REDACTED] (S) b1
REVOLUTIONARY ACTION MOVEMENT

The Revolutionary Action Movement is an all-Negro, Marxist-Leninist oriented organization which follows the Chinese Communist line and leadership of Robert F. Williams, a Negro fugitive from justice in voluntary exile in Cuba, who advocates achieving of Negro rights by violence if necessary, including guerrilla warfare.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 10/12/66

FROM : [Signature]

SUBJECT: CHARLES C. PEPPER
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RACIAL MATTERS
(Ref file 157-4946)
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Re: KGG airtel dated 9/11/66, which re-asked a check
of Passport Office, United States Department of State, D.C.
concerning Charles Pepper.

As of 10/7/66, the Passport Office has not been able
to locate a record reflecting issuance of a passport to a Negro
individual.

They will continue contact with the Passport Office
while further search is being made for a passport record
concerning Charles Pepper.

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 SUBJECT: COORDINATING COUNCIL FOR BLACK POWER (CCBP)
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Re Chicago airtel and LHM dated 10/18/66, captioned as above; Chicago teletypes, above caption, dated 11/3/66, advising the Bureau of demonstrations to be held under the auspices of the CCBP and its contributing organizations, scheduled for November 4 and 5, 1966, in Chicago.

Enclosed for the Bureau are 15 copies of a LHM concerning captioned matter, copies being designated as indicated below for the information of interested offices. The character in the enclosed LHM is again being set forth as Racial Matter.

Details of meetings referred to in the enclosed are being channelized to appropriate files. Chicago will follow the demonstrations as set forth in the enclosed and the Bureau will be appropriately advised of results.

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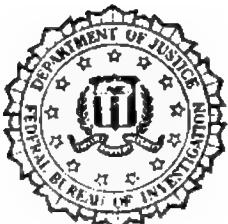
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Chicago, Illinois
November 4, 1966

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COORDINATING COUNCIL
FOR BLACK POWER (CCBP)
RACIAL MATTER

Reference is made to Chicago memorandum of
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24 The general feeling of this group is that the
25 Negro should be urged to boycott the forthcoming elections
26 as none of the candidates represent the interests of the Negro
27 in the ghetto.

28 Plans have been made for leaflet distributions urging
29 Negroes not to vote for this reason. The leaflet distribution
30 to be principally confined to Chicago's west and south sides.

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42 The general purpose of this so called Black Power
43 Conference was an attempt to explain to those present the meaning
44 of the term and Lucas, Sharp, and Landry were the principal
45 speakers on this occasion. Generally they urged that the
46 Negro should obtain control of and run his own neighborhoods
47 as well as establish and operate his own political machines.
48 Landry urged what he described as "street action" to
49 accomplish this, feeling that those individuals in Negro
50 neighborhoods who would not want to go along with this program
51 should be terrorized into cooperating. He noted that this was

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14 the way both the Vice Lords and Blackstone Rangers
15 operate. Landry also urged that Negroes be persuaded to
16 boycott the November 8, 1966, elections as none of the
17 candidates were acceptable to the Negro people. Lucas, in
18 his remarks, however, urged that anyone who would desire
19 to vote should vote Republican simply to "get rid of the
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This march is to commence approximately twelve noon on November 5, 1966, and will originate from 63rd and Cottage Grove Avenue, within the First District; however, the number of possible participants is not known.

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This source also advised that at a CCBP meeting held November 3, 1966, it was decided that representatives of this group would conduct a protest demonstration at one p.m. on November 4, 1966 at the Congress Plaza, 400 South Michigan Avenue, Chicago, and would be timed to coincide with the visit to Chicago of the President of the United States who would be in this vicinity at that time.

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10 RE: COORDINATING COUNCIL
11 FOR BLACK POWER (CCBP)

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14 This demonstration would be in protest of past
15 jailings of civil rights leaders in Chicago and hopefully
16 would be of some embarrassment to the national Democratic
17 Administration and develop support for the planned boycott
18 of the polls on November 8, 1966, which is being
19 urged by representatives of the CCBP.
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33 Justice, Inc. is being attached hereto for information.
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RE: COORDINATING COUNCIL
FOR BLACK POWER (CCBP)

Portions of the above information, as pertains to demonstration and possible violent type activity, was made available on November 3, 1966, to the following:

[REDACTED], Secret Service, Chicago

[REDACTED] Office of the United States Attorney, Chicago

[REDACTED], Region I, 113th MI-Group, Evanston, Illinois

Copies of this memorandum are being made available to each of the above agencies.

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APPENDIX

DEACONS OF DEFENSE AND JUSTICE, INC.,
aka Deacons for Defense and Justice,
Inc.

The Articles of Incorporation of the Deacons of Defense and Justice (DDJ) as on file with the Secretary of State, for the State of Louisiana, reflects that the Deacons of Defense and Justice, Inc., is a Louisiana corporation domiciled at Jonesboro, Louisiana. The location and business office address of its registered office shall be Amos Service Station (rear), Beach Spring Road, Drawer B. Jonesboro, Louisiana.

"This corporation is organized for the following purposes and to carry on the following purposes:

"To instruct, train, teach and educate Citizens of the United States and especially minority groups in the fundamental principles of the republican form of government and our democratic way of life; to instruct, teach, train and educate said persons in the provisions of the constitution and laws of the United States and the State of Louisiana, as well as the constitution and laws of any other state wherein this corporation may operate; to instruct, teach, train and educate said persons in the use, value, and purpose of the ballot and the right to vote; to instruct, teach, train and educate said persons as to the duties and responsibilities of good citizenship relative to the obligation and duties of the community to the citizen; to further instruct, teach, train and educate said persons in the value of economic security and in the effective use of their spending power; to inspire in said persons a sense of responsibility and to develop leadership. This corporation has for its further purpose, and is dedicated to, the defense of the civil rights, property rights and personal rights of said people and will defend said rights by any and all honorable and legal means to the end that justice may be obtained. This corporation may establish chapters and conduct its business at any place in this State and elsewhere as permitted by law."

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

50 : Director, FBI (100-442684 TUR ~~CONFIDENTIAL~~)
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DATE: 11-7-66

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SUBJECT: REVOLUTIONARY ACTION MOVEMENT (RAM)
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DEACONS OF DEFENSE AND JUSTICE, INC. (DDJ)
RACIAL MATTERS (ORGANIZATION)

ReBullets 10-13-66 and 11-3-66. (J)

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21 DEACONS OF DEFENSE AND JUSTICE, INC. (DDJ) THROUGH
22 RACIAL MATTERS (ORGANIZATION)

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24 Bulet 10/12/68. (b)

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27 Washington Field should make available the results
28 of the review of Passport Office records concerning [REDACTED] b7C
29 passport as soon as available. (b)

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Memorandum

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DATE: 11/14/66

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27 (WFO file 157-801) (P)

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29 Re WFO airtel dated 10/12/66.

30 As of 10/31/66 and 11/14/66, the Passport Office
31 has not been able to locate a passport record concerning
32 ERNEST THOMAS.

33 WFO will maintain contact with the Passport
34 Office, which is continuing its search for the passport
35 file on THOMAS.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (157-2466)
FROM: SAC, NEW ORLEANS (157-5624)
RE: DEACONS FOR DEFENSE AND
JUSTICE, FERRIDAY, LA.
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Re: New Orleans airtel to Bureau; 10/31/66.

Enclosed for the Bureau are 11 copies of self-explanatory LHM concerning captioned matter.

Copies of this LHM are being furnished to Secret Service, ICG, and NISO, New Orleans, as well as OSI, Barksdale AFB, La. Copy also being furnished to USA, Shreveport, La.

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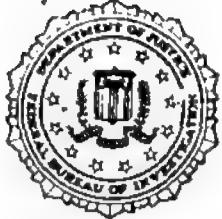
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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

New Orleans, Louisiana

November 9, 1966

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

DEACONS FOR DEFENSE AND
JUSTICE, FERRIDAY, LOUISIANA

[REDACTED] advised that there are no Deacons for Defense and Justice in the Ferriday Negro community at this time.

[REDACTED] advised that he has heard of no Deacons for Defense and Justice being in the Ferriday area.

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On November 5, 1966, [REDACTED] Ferriday, advised that about 25 Negroes, most of whom were teenagers, assembled on Louisiana Avenue, the main street, about 2:20 P.M., without having obtained a permit to march and dispersed almost immediately without any incident. He advised [REDACTED] police officers did not report seeing any of the group, which was led by Rudy Shields, armed in any way.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, NEW ORLEANS (157-3290) (P)

SUBJECT: DEACONS OF DEFENSE AND JUSTICE, INC., aka
Deacons for Defense and Justice, Inc.
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Re New Orleans report of SA [REDACTED] b7C
dated 7/21/66.

Report in this matter is being prepared and will
be submitted to the Bureau by 11/22/66.

The preparation of this report was delayed due
to Agent to whom this matter assigned working bank robbery
and civil rights specials.

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20 TO DIRECTOR, CLEVELAND, NEW ORLEANS

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31 MEMBER OF DEACONS FOR DEFENSE AND JUSTICE, BOGALUSA, LOUISIANA,
32 PRESENTLY IN DAYTON, OHIO, ATTEMPTING TO RAISE MONEY FOR BLACK
33 NATIONALIST GROUPS.

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 SUBJECT: COORDINATING COUNCIL FOR BLACK POWER (CCBP)
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Re Chicago airtel and LHM captioned as above and dated 11/4/66; Chicago tels 11/4/66-11/7/66, captioned variously Picket Demonstrations, Auspices CCBP, November, 1966, RM, with additional captions of Youth Gang Conflict, Chicago, Illinois, RM; American Nazi Party, RM; Proposed Demonstration at Cook County, Illinois Jail by Oakland Committee for Community Improvement, 3939 South Drexel Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, November 8, 1966, and Unsubs; Alleged Threats Against Dick Gregory, Negro Entertainer, and Civil Rights Activist, and Bill Robinson, Acting Director, OCCI, Election Laws - Extortion.

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Enclosed for the Bureau are eighteen (18) copies of a letterhead memorandum concerning the above group, its activities and those related to it over the period 11/4-7/66.

Copies of this letterhead memorandum are designated as indicated to interested offices for information. The caption of the letterhead memorandum itself is being carried as Racial Matter rather than as Internal Security - Miscellaneous as this is deemed more appropriate to the nature of the activities as set forth.

Chicago is conducting no investigation concerning the threatening phone calls made to DICK GREGORY, from an extortion aspect, as the telephone calls to him and his associates were local in nature. A separate letterhead memorandum is being provided the Bureau under an appropriate caption pertaining to the threat against GREGORY and his associates under the caption Election Laws - Extortion.

The sources utilized in the enclosed are as follows:

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Chicago is continuing to follow the activities of the CCBP and those organizations and individuals active in this connection. The Bureau will be appropriately advised of subsequent developments.



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

CG 157-1465

Chicago, Illinois
Nov. 7, 1966

COORDINATING COUNCIL FOR
BLACK POWER (CCBP)
RACIAL MATTER

Reference is made to Chicago memorandum of November 4, 1966, under the above caption setting forth in part place of those groups and individuals composing the CCBP; names of these organizations will follow. Demonstration in Chicago, Illinois, on November 4, 1966, and November 5, 1966. These militantly oriented civil rights groups which compose the CCBP include in part ASY, Congress of Racial Equality (CORE), Deacons for Defense and Justice, Inc. (DDJ), Oakland Committee for Community Improvement (OCCI), the Student Non-Violent Coordinating Committee (SNCC), as well as members of several Negro youth gangs in Chicago, these latter inclusive of such as the Blackstone Rangers and the Videlords.

Referenced memorandum reflected that representatives of the CCBP had planned a picket demonstration at approximately 1:00 PM on November 5, 1966, at Chicago Plaza, Chicago, this demonstration to coincide here with arrival to Chicago of President Lyndon B. Johnson.

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12/20/79 2842

RE: COORDINATING COUNCIL FOR
BLACK POWER (CCBP)

[REDACTED] advised that as of 4:30 PM on November 4, 1966, there were no demonstrators then in the vicinity of Lake and Hamlin Avenues, however, additional police forces have been detailed to this area to insure that no problems arise in the event the demonstrators do appear.

[REDACTED] advised that the scheduled demonstration and march, above, did not begin until 7:15 PM on November 4, 1966. Only 17 demonstrators, all Negro, subsequently marched from the intersection of Lake and Hamlin through this and nearby neighborhoods, terminating their march at approximately 10:00 PM. These demonstrators were accompanied by approximately 50 Chicago police officers and there were no incidents, arrests or disorders at any time during the course of the affair.

advised at approximately noon, November 5, 1966, that information had been received by

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15 has laid plans for a march on this date to commence at
16 approximately 4:00 PM. Those involved will originate their
17 demonstration from ACT Headquarters, 413 East Oakwood Boule-
18 vard, Chicago, to the headquarters of the 13th Ward, Regular
19 Democratic Party Organization, 6509 South Kedzie, Chicago.
20 The stated reason for this march is to encourage a Negro
21 boycott at the polls on the occasion of the elections to
22 be held November 8, 1966. ACT is to be joined in this march
23 by individuals representative of those other groups which
24 comprise the CCBP, notably SNCC and CORE.

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25 It will be recalled that referenced memorandum
26 of November 4, 1966, also contained information to the effect
27 that a march was to be held by CCBP forces on November 5, 1966,
28 through the First Congressional District on Chicago's south side.

29 In connection with this demonstration, [REDACTED]

30 [REDACTED] advised that some
31 22 demonstrators led by Robert Lucas, Chicago CORE Chairman,
32 marched for a short while early Saturday afternoon, November
33 5, 1966, from the area of 63rd and South Park Avenues, to the
34 vicinity of 47th and South Park where the demonstration ended
35 at approximately 3:00 PM. [REDACTED] advised that the marchers
36 carried signs calling for the defeat of incumbent Congressman
37 William L. Dawson, Chicago's First Congressional District,
38 in protest of his past record in the civil rights area. [REDACTED]
39 advised that the marchers did not reach Congressman Dawson's
40 office as had been planned, apparently because of their fatigue.
41 There were no incidents, arrests or disorders in connection
42 with this march.

43 [REDACTED] advised at 5:00 PM on
44 November 5, 1966, that the demonstration planned for this
45 afternoon at 4:00 PM by the West Side Chapter of ACT had been
46 canceled. [REDACTED] advised that [REDACTED]
47 had advised that the demonstration instead would be held at
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13 East Oakwood Boulevard, Chicago, ACT Headquarters, to the
14 13th Ward Democratic Headquarters at 6509 South Kedzie
15 Avenue. The marchers additionally will proceed to the
16 vicinity of 3900 West 63rd Street in this general area,
17 this address the headquarters of the 13th Ward Republican
18 Organization.
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20 [REDACTED] stated that to the best of his information,
21 this demonstration on November 5, 1966, had been canceled
22 because most of the participants were to have been those who
23 had taken part in a earlier march on this date on Chicago's
24 south side and these individuals had apparently not physically
25 been able to engage in another march on this date.

26 [REDACTED] advised on November 6, b7C
27 1966, that the planned demonstration by ACT and associates b7D
28 of this organization before both the Democratic and Republican
29 Party headquarters on Chicago's west side had not materialized.
30 [REDACTED] had no information concerning the reason for the
31 cancellation of this march other than the fact that insuffi-
32 cient support had been mobilized by those organizations who
33 were interested in it to render it other than embarrassing.
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35 [REDACTED] advised, however, that the Chicago Branch of, the
36 American Nazi Party had apparently learned of the contemplated
37 demonstrations to be held in this area on Chicago's south side
38 and had scheduled a counter demonstration to take place in
39 Marquette Park. The area where the ACT demonstrations were to have
40 taken place is generally in the Gage Park and Chicago Lawn areas
41 on Chicago's southwest side, the scene of serious disorders
42 during the summer of 1966 on the occasion of civil rights marches
43 through these all white residential neighborhoods.
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45 Concerning the ANP activity in Marquette Park on this
46 date, [REDACTED] advised that at approximately 4:30 PM, five indi-
47 viduals, all Caucasian, had been arrested in Marquette Park
48 for distributing Nazi Party literature.
49 [REDACTED]

RE: COORDINATING COUNCIL FOR
BLACK POWER (CCBP)

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Concerning these individuals, a second confidential source, who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised that [REDACTED], [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] are all known in the past to have been active in the Chicago Branch, ANP.

Records of the Chicago Office reflect no information identifiable with either [REDACTED] or [REDACTED].

At 6:00 PM, November 6, 1966, [REDACTED] advised that he had learned that Black Gregory, Negro entertainer and civil rights activist, now in Chicago, was present at ACT Headquarters with some eight other persons attempting to organize a march to or demonstration in the Lake Park area later that evening. As of 6:45 PM, November 6, 1966, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] advised that Gregory and this group were still at ACT Headquarters continuing to attempt to organize such a demonstration, however, there was no indication at that time when such activity would take place.

[REDACTED] advised the Chicago Office that Gregory and Lawrence Landry together with some 34 other individuals departed the ACT Headquarters at approximately 7:15 PM, enroute to 13th Ward Republican Headquarters, 5163 West 63rd Street. Upon arrival here this group demonstrated peacefully for approximately an hour, then proceeded to 13th Ward Democratic Headquarters, 6509 South Kedzie. Here the demonstrators became disorderly, noisy and rowdy, repeatedly shouting

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12 BLACK POWER (CCBP)

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14 "Black Power", and the Chicago Police Department forces
15 present on the scene arrested ten male and three female
16 demonstrators on disorderly conduct charges. Among those
17 arrested was [REDACTED]

18 [REDACTED] Gregory and Landry were not
19 arrested as a result of this activity.

20 [REDACTED] advised that information
21 subsequently received by [REDACTED]
22 reflected that Gregory, subsequent to the demonstration on
23 Chicago's southwest side, had stated that he might engage
24 in an all-night vigil at Cook County Jail, Chicago, to protest
25 the incarceration there of Frank Ditto, head of the OCCI.
26 Ditto, a close associate of Gregory, is currently in jail
27 for defiance of a local circuit court injunction restricting
28 civil rights marches in Chicago, this injunction obtained in
29 August, 1966, by Chicago city authorities. As of 10:00 PM,
30 November 6, 1966, [REDACTED]

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31 [REDACTED] advised that there were no demonstrators in
32 the vicinity of the jail at the present time. He advised
33 that his information was now to the effect that the OCCI
34 would conduct an all-night vigil at Cook County Jail, 26th
35 and California, Chicago, to protest the incarceration of
36 Ditto beginning at midnight, Monday, November 7, 1966, and
37 concluding at 6:00 AM, November 8, 1966. [REDACTED] states that
38 according to [REDACTED]
39 the size of the group participating in this all-night vigil
40 will be within the limits of the law pertaining to such activity.

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20 Both [REDACTED] and [REDACTED]
21 familiar with these calls advised that they consider them
22 local in nature.

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14 Pertinent portions of the above information were
15 provided during the period November 4-7, 1968, to the
16 following:
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20 113th MI Group, Region I,
21 Evanston, Illinois

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22 [REDACTED]
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24 United States Secret Service,
25 Chicago, Illinois

26 [REDACTED]
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28 United States Attorney's Office,
29 Chicago, Illinois

30 The DDJ and the ANP, national and local, will be
31 characterized on the attached appendix pages. The sources
32 utilized in the ANP characterizations have furnished reliable
33 information in the past.

34 Copies of this memorandum are being provided to
35 United States Secret Service, Chicago, Office of the United
36 States Attorney, Chicago, and Region I, 113th MI Group,
37 Evanston, Illinois.

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APPENDIX

DEACONS OF DEFENSE AND JUSTICE, INC.,
aka Deacons for Defense and Justice,
Inc.

The Articles of Incorporation of the Deacons of Defense and Justice (DDJ) as on file with the Secretary of State, for the State of Louisiana, reflects that the Deacons of Defense and Justice, Inc., is a Louisiana corporation domiciled at Jonesboro, Louisiana. The location and business office address of its registered office shall be Amos Service Station (rear), Beach Spring Road, Drawer B, Jonesboro, Louisiana.

"This corporation is organized for the following purposes and to carry on the following purposes:

"To instruct, train, 'teach and educate Citizens of the United States and especially minority groups in the fundamental principles of the republican form of government and our democratic way of life; to instruct, teach, train and educate said persons in the provisions of the constitution and laws of the United States and the State of Louisiana, as well as the constitution and laws of any other state wherein this corporation may operate; to instruct, teach, train and educate said persons in the use, value, and purpose of the ballot and the right to vote; to instruct, teach, train and educate said persons as to the duties and responsibilities of good citizenship relative to the obligation and duties of the community to the citizen: to further instruct, teach, train and educate said persons in the value of economic security and in the effective use of their spending power; to inspire in said persons a sense of responsibility and to develop leadership. This corporation has for its further purpose, and is dedicated to, the defense of the civil rights, property rights and personal rights of said people and will defend said rights by any and all honorable and legal means to the end that justice may be obtained. This corporation may establish chapters and conduct its business at any place in this State and elsewhere as permitted by law."

APPENDIXAMERICAN NAZI PARTY OF THE WORLD
UNION OF FREE ENTERPRISE NATIONAL
SOCIALISTS, ALSO KNOWN AS THE
GEORGE LINCOLN ROCKWELL PARTY

In his book "This Time The World" copyrighted in 1961, GEORGE LINCOLN ROCKWELL identified himself as Commander, American Nazi Party of the World Union of Free Enterprise National Socialists (ANP - WUFENS), Arlington, Virginia.

The April 4, 1963, issue of "The Richmond News Leader," a Richmond, Virginia, daily newspaper, reported that GEORGE LINCOLN ROCKWELL had, on the previous day, again applied for the American Nazi Party to be chartered in the State of Virginia, but this request was turned down by the Virginia State Corporation Commission. This action was taken pursuant to an act of the 1962 Virginia Assembly which prohibits use of "Nazi" or "National Socialism" in a Virginia charter. This article further pointed out that ROCKWELL's Party is presently chartered in the State of Virginia as the George Lincoln Rockwell Party.

On August 14, 1964, a source advised that the ANP - WUFENS was organized by GEORGE LINCOLN ROCKWELL at his residence in Arlington, Virginia, on February 26, 1969 as an international "National Socialist" movement based on the German Nazi Party headed by ADOLF HITLER. He added that ROCKWELL is the dominant force and personality in this party; that he is espousing a "line" of hatred against the Jews and Negroes, and that he is seeking, through speeches, distribution of literature and picketing, to establish a cohesive and dominant political party in the United States and in foreign countries.

According to the "Stormtrooper's Manual," an official publication of the ANP, the phases of ANP struggle for power are fourfold, namely, first "to make ourselves known to the masses"; second, "the dissemination of our program and truth about the Party"; third, "organizing the people who have been converted to our propaganda"; and fourth, "the attainment of power through the votes of the newly-won masses."

On August 19, 1966, the source advised that GEORGE LINCOLN ROCKWELL presently believes that he has completed the first two phases in his struggle for power and is well into the third stage, to wit, "the organizing of the people who have been converted to our propaganda." The source added that ROCKWELL had previously believed that he would be elected Governor of Virginia in November, 1965, and when defeated, he made the statement that he was not ready for stage four.

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13 AMERICAN NAZI PARTY
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17 A source advised on November 14, 1960, that on that
18 date a meeting was held in Chicago, Illinois, for the
19 purpose of organizing a Chicago Unit of the American Nazi
20 Party (ANP) which maintains headquarters in Arlington,
21 Virginia. GEORGE LINCOLN ROCKWELL, National Commander, ANP,
22 took charge of this meeting.

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24 On May 22, 1962, [REDACTED] b7C
25 ANP, Chicago, advised that the ANP in Chicago b7D
26 is to a degree autonomous although it remains subject to the
27 final authority of GEORGE LINCOLN ROCKWELL and ANP National
28 Headquarters.

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30 A second source advised on August 17, 1966, that
31 the Chicago branch of the ANP is currently located at 1314
32 West Ohio Street, Chicago, Illinois.

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39 [REDACTED] ADVISED NOVEMBER EIGHTEEN THAT HENRY AUSTAN
40 MADE PUBLIC APPEARANCES IN CLEVELAND DURING PAST FEW WEEKS.

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28 to determine if record for Passport Number [REDACTED] b7C
29 issued to EARNEST THOMAS on 7/13/66, has been located.
30 If so, cover lead set out for WFO.

31 Will maintain contact with sources having
32 knowledge of activities of DDJ for current information
33 on this organization.

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35 CLEVELAND DIVISION

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37 AT CLEVELAND, OHIO

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39 Will maintain contact with informants in an
40 effort to determine if there is any additional activity
41 concerning the DDJ.

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43 JACKSON DIVISION

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45 AT [REDACTED], MISSISSIPPI

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47 Will determine disposition of charges against
48 [REDACTED], [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] b7C
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50 in connection with arrest of these individuals
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12 Consider interviewing these individuals and
13 other members of DDJ. [REDACTED]

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14 to develop information regarding this chapter of DDJ.

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18 AT SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA

19 Maintain contact with informants in an effort
20 to determine if there is any additional activity con-
21 cerning the DDJ.

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24 Will check records, Passport Office, U. S.
25 Department of State, for Passport Number [REDACTED] issued
26 to EARNEST THOMAS, 7/13/66, at Chicago, Illinois. Obtain
27 background information and photograph from records. Set
28 forth in LHM suitable for dissemination.

29 NEW ORLEANS DIVISION

30 AT JONESBORO, LOUISIANA

31 Will contact sources to determine itinerary
32 and purpose of trip made by ERNEST THOMAS to Europe, and

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12 possibly Cuba and Red China beginning 7/15/66, for approxi-
13 mately one month duration.

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14 Determine if THOMAS has recently traveled to
15 New York.

16 Develop sources to have knowledge of activities
17 of THOMAS for advance knowledge of his activities.

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18 AT BOGALUSA, LOUISIANA

19 Will maintain contact with [REDACTED]
20 Bogalusa Chapter, DDJ, for activities of this
21 organization.

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22 AT HOMER, LOUISIANA

23 AT MINDEN, LOUISIANA

24 Will maintain contact with sources having know-
25 ledge of activities of DDJ.

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Title: DEACONS OF DEFENSE AND JUSTICE, INC.

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Synopsis: Several admitted officials of Deacons of Defense and Justice, Inc. (DDJ) attended and spoke before meeting of Socialists Workers Party (SWP), Cleveland Committee to End War in Vietnam and Revolutionary Action Movement (RAM) explaining activities and purposes of DDJ. HENRY AUSTIN stated "When the Negro does come out of the ghettos, America will need the National Guard for protection." AUSTIN stated "This society needs a socialistic change." ERNEST THOMAS observed in march from Memphis, Tenn., to Jackson, Miss., acting as head of DDJ providing protection for members of march. THOMAS traveled through several northern states organizing DDJ chapters. THOMAS reportedly left Chicago, Ill., 7/15/66, to spend month in Europe to secure finances for DDJ. Passport # [REDACTED] issued to ERNEST THOMAS on 7/13/66, at Chicago, Illinois. THOMAS observed in Jonesboro, Louisiana, 9/25/66. ROYAN BURIS was elected President of Bogalusa, La., chapter of DDJ in place of CHARLES SIMS.

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14 Characterizations of organizations mentioned
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32 [REDACTED] that on (c)
33 October 23, 1966, the Socialist Workers Party held an
34 open forum at 9801 Euclid Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio.
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42 HENRY AUSTIN opened the meeting by saying if
43 there are any FBI agents present I want to bid them
44 good evening as they have been following me around
45 lately.
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47 America better change this society. America
48 is just playing games here and over in Vietnam. For
49 example the riots in the Hough area were not race riots,
50 but riots of violence. I will give it another year and
51 the riots will not be just in the ghetto's but outside
52 as well.
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12 The purpose of the Deacons for Defense is to
13 protect the Negro from the Ku Klux Klan and from police
14 brutality. The Deacons for Defense is blazing a trail
15 for justice. Down south when the police send in the Ku
16 Klux Klan to settle an incident, and when the Deacons
17 for Defense show up, it is so quiet you can hear two
18 cotton balls being rubbed together.

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20 We have been under white power for 400 years
21 and we are tired of it. One of these days we will be
22 under black power. When the Negro does come out of the
23 ghetto's, America will need the National Guard for pro-
24 tection. We don't want civil rights or voting rights
25 now. It is out of the question at this time.

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27 "Urban renewal post signs in empty lots which
28 stand for years and still they don't do any rebuilding.
29 They better start building better houses and better
30 recreation centers for the Negroes. ROD HOLT asked "do
31 you think the promises made to the Negroes will ever
32 be full filled?" No, by the looks of things nothing
33 will ever be done. This society needs a socialistic
34 change.

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36 [REDACTED] that on (c) bl
37 October 25, 1966, Committee meeting to End the War in
38 Vietnam was held at 1846 Coventry Road, Cleveland Heights,
39 Ohio. At this meeting HENRY AUSTIN, a Negro, was pre-
40 sent and gave a talk on the Deacons for Defense and
41 "from the ghettos." He said that the Deacons is an
42 organization composed of only Negroes because they want
43 to feel that they are doing something without the help
44 of the white man. He, himself, does not belong to the
45 Deacons at the present time.

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47 [REDACTED] that on (c) bl
48 October 23, 1966, at a meeting held for the Socialist
49 Workers Party, 9801 Euclid Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio
50 HENRY AUSTIN, who is a member of the organization known
51 as the Deacons for Defense, from Bogalusa, Louisiana,
52 spoke. He said very little, explaining the purpose of

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the Deacons for Defense. He said the organization is for defensive purposes only to protect peaceful Negroes when the police refuse to do so. He said the FBI have been following him daily since he has been in Cleveland. AUSTAN said, "If there are any present I hope when the report what I say, they will report only what I say and the way I say it." During the question period one person asked how many members the Deacons have and how many branches. HENRY AUSTAN answered, "that is what the FBI would like to know. Also the Ku Klux Klan. It is funny, but the FBI seems to get a lot of information from the Klan." AUSTAN said, "For that reason, we have to keep most of our activities classified."

A collection was taken up to help in the defense of HENRY AUSTAN. It was announced that \$30.00 was collected. Someone asked AUSTAN just what is he being charged with. He said, "I am charged with many things and can get up to 14 years." There were a number of young people present [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] Most of them are regulars of the forum.

[REDACTED] a regular weekly forum known as (c) bl
"The Cleveland Militant Forum" and sponsored by the Cleveland branch of the Socialist Workers Party (CWSW) was held at 9601 Euclid Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio. Present at the forum were fifty-one people. HENRY AUSTIN, a Negro, 30, a militant, and a member of the Socialist Workers Party, was the main speaker for the forum and began by saying he had been followed by the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) and that if there were any FBI-agents present they were not to take everything he says lightly.

AUSTIN only spoke for twenty minutes. He told of the events in Bogalusa, Louisiana, and of the participation of the Deacons For Defense, (the organization which HENRY AUSTIN represents) in the Mississippi

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11 marches. HENRY AUSTIN said that the Deacons do advocate
12 self defense in cases of harassment of the Negro,
13 either by arms or any other weapon. He said that the
14 Deacons for Defense, (DDJ) are not always violent and
15 that they were the first to collect food and clothing and
16 distribute it in New Orleans after the hurricane "betsy."
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22 There was a short question and answer period.
23 During that time AUSTIN stated that the Negro will never
24 gain civil rights under the present system of Government
25 in the United States but he also would not commit him-
26 self and say which type of Government is needed.
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28 ACTIVITIES AND STATEMENTS OF ERNEST THOMAS

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Illinois, and it is/at 1236 Pulaski Street, Chicago, Illinois.

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14 On July 2, 1966, [REDACTED] b7D
15 advised that ERNEST THOMAS was in
16 Baltimore accompanied by CHARLES SIMS and that they
17 were staying at [REDACTED] b7C

18 [REDACTED] that ERNEST (C) b1
19 THOMAS, Regional Vice President and Northern Director
20 of the Deacons of Defense and Justice (DDJ) is scheduled
21 to give a speech in Grambling, Louisiana, at 8:00 PM on
22 June 29, 1966. This speech will be open to the public
23 and THOMAS will speak in front of the Post Office in
24 Grambling.

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28 The Deacons of Defense and Justice (DDJ) is
29 an organization set up in Jonesboro, Louisiana, during
30 late 1964. It was incorporated in the State of Louisiana
31 in March of 1965. The purpose of the organization was
32 to provide protection for the Negro people of Jones-
33 boro, and particularly those people participating in
34 civil rights activities in Jonesboro. The original idea
35 for forming this organization was developed when it was
36 believed that some of the members of the Jonesboro
37 police force were members of the Klan in that area and
38 it was felt that these police officers could not be
39 relied upon to provide the necessary protection for the
40 Negro citizens of the community. At that time the DDJ
41 was formed and incorporated.

42 Originally, PERCY BRADFORD was president, ERNEST
43 THOMAS was vice-president, F. D. KIRKPATRICK was secretary,
44 and HENRY AMOS was sergeant-at-arms. Later, ERNEST THOMAS
45 was dropped as vice-president. When F. D. KIRKPATRICK
46 moved from Jonesboro, Louisiana, to Grambling, Louisiana,
47 he was replaced as secretary of the organization. The

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organization was set up strictly as a defensive organization and was established along non-violent lines. Chapters were soon set up in Bogalusa, Minden, Homer, and Ferriday, Louisiana. Shortly after the chapter was set up in Bogalusa, Louisiana, the organization board began having trouble with CHARLIE SIMS, the president of that chapter. SIMS was adopting a more militant attitude than that desired by the board and there was a "split" between the group in Jonesboro and that in Bogalusa. At the present time, tension still exists between these groups.

When KIRKPATRICK moved to Grambling, Louisiana, he was instrumental in setting up a chapter of the DDJ in the community. The group has never been chartered with the headquarters in Jonesboro, and it appears that it is almost dissolved at the present time. It was originally made up of faculty members and students of Grambling College and with the end of the past semester most of the members left Grambling and the chapter.

The DDJ is incorporated in the State of Louisiana only, and has not filed papers to do business in any other state. For this reason, the DDJ has no chapters outside of the State of Louisiana. ERNEST THOMAS has been traveling around the United States calling himself the Regional Vice-President and Northern Director of the DDJ. He has claimed to have set up DDJ chapters in several cities in the United States and has supposedly set these chapters up on a militant basis. These efforts on the part of ERNEST THOMAS are reportedly entirely on his own and are not supported or condoned by the DDJ of Jonesboro. It is believed that ERNEST THOMAS has adopted his title because of his former position in the DDJ in Jonesboro, but that all of his activities are strictly on his own behalf. The DDJ headquarters in Jonesboro has reportedly never received any requests for charters from anywhere outside of the state of Louisiana, and they could not

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13 issue charters outside of the state if they were so
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16 ERNEST THOMAS is believed to have DDJ chapters
17 in Los Angeles, California; Chicago, Illinois; Detroit,
18 Michigan; Washington, D.C.; and in Philadelphia, Pennsyl-
19 vania. It is not known where he receives his financial
20 support or backing in his organizational activities.
21 He reportedly has been in touch with ELIJAH MUHAMMAD
22 but will not join the Black Muslim movement because he
23 could not retain his leadership role. It is believed
24 that THOMAS is attempting to set up an organization
25 paralleling the Black Muslims, but one in which he is
26 the national leader.
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It is known that ERNEST THOMAS has the nickname of CHILLY WILLIE.

It was determined that THOMAS did not leave the march on Wednesday, June 22, 1966, as there had been trouble in Carton, Mississippi, and he did not want to leave at that time.

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THOMAS is attempting to organize the BPP in the Chicago, Illinois, area. He is in a constant travel status, but maintains his family and permanent residence in Louisiana.

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26 The national headquarters of the DDJ is at
27 Jonesboro, Louisiana, where the organization is incor-
28 porated. ERNEST THOMAS has had difficulties with the
29 national officers and they have little or no control
30 over his activities. The parent organization is not in
31 agreement with many of THOMAS' statements and activities.
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45 On August 19, 1966, IC [REDACTED] b7C
46 ascertained at the Passport Office, United States
47 Department of State, Washington, D.C., that there was no
48 record identifiable with ERNEST THOMAS.
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